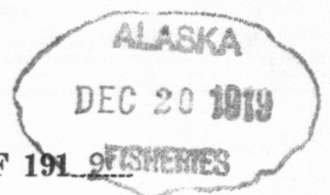


DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF FISHERIES



STATISTICS OF FISHING INDUSTRY OF ALASKA, SEASON OF 1919

The company or individual receiving this blank is requested to supply the data called for herein and mail the statement to the Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, D. C. (in the franked envelope provided for the purpose), as soon as possible after the close of the fishing season. The law requires that reports of this character be forwarded not later than December 15, and that they "shall be sworn to by the superintendent, manager, or other person having knowledge of the facts, a separate blank form being used for each establishment in cases where more than one cannery, saltery, or other establishment is conducted by a person, company, or corporation." Attention is called to the fact that a heavy penalty is provided for failure to comply with the provisions of the law.

H. M. SMITH,
U. S. Commissioner of Fisheries.

Name of company or individual Libby, McNeill & Libby,

Location of home office Chicago, Illinois.

Location of plant Kenai, Alaska

Value of plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment, \$ 155,507.80

Cost of operations, exclusive of wages, and value of vessels, boats, and fishing gear shown below \$ 219,359.63

NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AND AMOUNT OF WAGES PAID.

Designation.	Whites.	Natives.	Chinese.	Japanese.	Filipinos.	Koreans.	Mexicans.	Porto Ricans.	Kanakas.	Negroes.	Others (indicate).	Total wages paid.
Fishermen	64	13										36689.29
Shoresmen ^a	37	41	42	4	3							34444.66
Transporters ^b	17											12114.23
Total	118	54	42	4	3							83248.18

^a Includes office force in Alaska.

^b Includes crews of vessels carrying supplies who are not elsewhere shown as fishermen or shoresmen.

VESSELS AND BOATS.

Registered vessels. (Whether owned or chartered.)					Unregistered vessels, boats, and other craft.		
Rig.	Name.	Net tonnage.	Value, exclusive of apparatus of capture.		Designation.	No.	Value.
Sch	Salvator	385.	10,000.00				
Gas Bt	Willard B	44.18	17,000.00		Launches and power boats	1	900
do	Helen T	21.	7,500.00		Seine boats		
do	Olaf	14.	3,500.00		Gill-net boats	33	2197.36
do	Vigilant	9.	3,000.00		Other row boats and skiffs	7	520.00
Launch	Seal (Below tonnage)		900.00		Lighters and scows	17	5184.90
Scow	Tyee	78.	5,000.00		Houseboats		
do	1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10		7,800.00		Pile drivers	3	10000.00

FISHING APPARATUS.

Kind.	No.	Length.	Value.	Kind.	No.	Value.
Seines, beach		(a)		Traps, staked	18	81,000.00
Seines, purse		(a)		Traps, floating		
Gill nets	120	(a) 3,000	5,500.00	Dip nets		
Hand lines				Fish wheels		
Trawl lines		(b)				

^a Give aggregate length in fathoms.

^b Give aggregate number of hooks.

LOSSES DURING YEAR.

Loss of life.					Loss of property.	
Designation.	Drowning.	Other accidents.	Disease.	Total.	Items.	Kind and value.
Fishermen		1		1	Buildings	
Shoresmen					Vessels and boats	
Transporters					Fishing gear	
Total		1		1	Canned or other product	

DETAILED REPORT OF SALMON FISHING OPERATIONS, BY LOCALITIES AND APPARATUS.

It is desired that this information be prepared with accuracy and detail, so far as the packers' records can by reasonable effort be made to furnish it. Different streams in the same bay or sound should be separately reported so far as the catch can properly be credited to each. Catches not certainly referable to particular streams may be reported under the head of the bay, sound, or region.

Species of salmon and names of streams or localities fished.	Number of salmon taken with each kind of apparatus.						Fishing season—	
	Seines.	Gill nets.	Traps.	Lines.	Dip nets.	Other appli- ances.	Began.	Ended.
Coho or silver salmon:								
Cook Inlet		141	46756				7/7	8/18
Total								
Chum or keta salmon:								
Cook Inlet			1150				7/7	8/6
Total								
Humpback or pink salmon:								
Cook Inlet			1386				7/2	8/6
Total								
King or spring salmon:								
Cook Inlet		2742	6611				5/27	8/12
Total								
Red or sockeye salmon:								
Cook Inlet		15368	202927				6/2	8/12
Total								

SALMON AND TROUT PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Coho or silver.	Chum or keta.	Humpback or pink.	King or spring.	Red or sockeye.	Dolly Varden or salmon trout.	Steelhead.	Total.
CANNED:								
Cases, 1-lb. cans, 48's. Number				3411	11761			15172
Value				33427.80	105849.00			139276.80
Cases, 1-lb. cans, 96's. Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans. Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. tall cans. Number	3300	111	63	107	8779			12360
Value	39,600.00	777.00	567.00	1433.80	114,127.00			156504.80
MILD CURED:								
Tierces (800 lbs. each). Number								
Value								
PICKLED:								
Barrels (200 lbs. each). Number								
Value								
Bellies. Pounds								
Value								
Backs. Pounds								
Value								
DRY SALTED. Number of fish								
Pounds								
Value								
FROZEN. Number of fish								
Pounds								
Value								
SHIPPED FRESH. Number of fish								
Pounds								
Value								

HALIBUT, COD, HERRING, AND MINOR SALMON PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Pounds.	Value.	How prepared.	Number.	Value.
HALIBUT:			HERRING:		
Fresh (shipped)			CANNED:		
Fresh (sold locally)			Cases, 1-lb. cans.		
Frozen			Cases, 1-lb. cans.		
Fletched				Pounds.	
Dry salted			Dry salted. For food		
Smoked			Fresh. For food		
Canned			For bait		
Cod:			Frozen. For food		
Vessel catch—			For bait		
Dry salted			Pickled, Scotch cure (in half-barrels)		
Pickled			Pickled, Scotch cure (in full barrels)		
Stockfish			Pickled, Norwegian cure		
Tongues			Pickled. For bait		
Cod-liver oil. galls.			Fertilizer. tons.		
Shore station catch—			Oil. galls.		
Dry salted			SALMON:		
Pickled			Caviar		
Stockfish			Beleke		
Tongues			Ukalu		
Cod-liver oil. galls.			Kippered		
CANNED:			Dried		
Cases, 1-lb. cans. Number			Fertilizer. tons.		
Value			Oil. galls.		
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans. Number					
Value					

WHALING OPERATIONS.

Catch.				Products.		
Species.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
Bowhead				Oil, body. galls.		
California gray				Oil, sperm. galls.		
Finback				Fertilizer, meat. tons.		
Humpback				Fertilizer, bone. pounds.		
Sulphur-bottom				Whalebone. pounds.		
Sperm.				Meat, pickled. pounds.		
Others ^a				Stearin. galls.		
Total						

^a Indicate number and sex of each species.

CLAM PRODUCTS.

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MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Items.	Quantity.	Value.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
	<i>Pounds.</i>				
Sablefish ----- Fresh -----			Tomcod ----- Fresh ----- pounds ..		
----- Frozen -----			----- Frozen ----- pounds ..		
----- Pickled -----			----- Pickled ----- pounds ..		
----- Smoked -----			Other fish ^a ----- Fresh ----- pounds ..		
Eulachon ----- Fresh -----			----- Frozen ----- pounds ..		
----- Pickled -----			----- Pickled ----- pounds ..		
----- Smoked -----			Grayfish ----- Oil ----- galls ..		
Rockfish or bass ----- Fresh -----			----- Fertilizer ----- tons ..		
----- Frozen -----			Crabs ----- (Specify unit) -----		
----- Pickled -----			Mussels ----- do -----		
Smelt ----- Fresh -----			Oysters ----- do -----		
----- Frozen -----			Seaweed ----- do -----		
----- Pickled -----			Ivory (walrus) ----- do -----		
Pollock ----- Fresh -----			Hides ----- Hair seal number -----		
----- Frozen -----			----- Sea lion number -----		
----- Pickled -----			----- Walrus number -----		
Flatfish ----- Fresh -----					
----- Frozen -----					
----- Pickled -----					

^a State species.

ADDITIONAL OR EXPLANATORY INFORMATION.

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing information is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

State of Washington
County of King

E. J. Rasmussen

 Owner, Superintendent, Manager
 (ERASE INAPPLICABLE WORDS.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th. day of December, 1928

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